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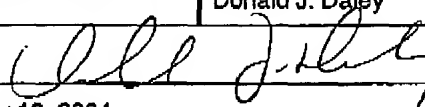
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	Filing Date	July 7, 1999	
	Inventor(s)	Eitan MEDINA et al.	
	Group Art Unit	2666	
	Examiner Name	Ronald Abelson	
		Attorney Docket Number	MP0107

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Applicant(s): Eitan MEDINA et al.

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In reply to the non-final Office Action mailed July 2, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this Amendment.